

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**  
**ABSTRACT**

Public Servants - Revenue (Endowments) Department – Disciplinary action against Sri Ch.Ramakoteswara Rao, Executive Officer (Retired), Sri Amareswara Swamy Temple, Amaravathi, (Village & Mandal), Guntur District - Certain irregularities committed – Imposition of punishment of 10% (ten percent) cut in pension permanently in exercise of the powers conferred under Rule 9 of Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980 – Orders - Issued.

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**REVENUE (VIGILANCE-IV) DEPARTMENT**

**G.O.Ms.No. 596**

**Dated :01.10.2012.**

**Read the following:-**

- 1) From the C.E.D., Lr.No.E3/50910/02, dt.24.05.2008.
- 2) Government Memo No.27888/VIG.IV/2008-1, dt.24.06.2008.
- 3) From the C.E.D., Lr.No.E3/50910/02, dt.24.11.2011.
- 4) Government Memo.No.27888/VIG.IV/2008-3, dt.27.04.2012.
- 5) From the C.E.D., Lr.No.E3/50910/2002, dt.10.07.2012.
- 6) Government, Lr.No.27888/VIG.IV-3/2008-4, dt.04.09.2012.
- 7) From the Secretary, A.P. Public Service Commission, Hyderabad Lr.No.1705/RT/3/2012, dt:15.09.2012.

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**ORDER:-**

In his letter 1<sup>st</sup> read above, the Commissioner, Endowments Department informed that Sri Ch.Ramakoteswara Rao, former Executive Officer, Sri Amareswara Swamy Temple, Amaravathi, (Village & Mandal), Guntur District and now retired has committed certain irregularities in the administration of temple and as many as 04 charges were framed against him, vide his office Proceedings dt.12.11.2002. The Deputy Commissioner, Endowments Department, Guntur was appointed as Enquiry Officer and Enquiry Officer has submitted enquiry report Rc. dt.02.06.2004. As per the enquiry report all the (4) four charges were proved. A copy of the Enquiry report was communicated to the Charged Officer to submit his explanation on the proved charges vide Commissioner, Endowments Department office Rc. dt.13.10.2004. The Charged Officer did not submit his further explanation, though he received and acknowledged the enquiry report vide his office Rc. dt.24.04.2008. The proved charges relate to failure to intimate the higher authorities about the theft of Hundi in-front of Sri Venugopala Swamy temple which is the sister Institution of the subject temple, failed to make entries in the Stock Register for the purchases to a tune of Rs.75,042/- taken Travelling Allowances advances from the funds of subject temple, non-adjusting the Travelling Allowances amount etc. Since, the Charged Officer retired from service on 31-01-2006, the Commissioner, Endowments Department, referred the case to Government, to take suitable punishment as per Rule 9 of A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980 against Charged Officer.

2. The Government after careful examination of the matter taken a provisional decision to impose a penalty of 10% (ten percent) cut in pension permanently against the Accused Officer and issued a Show cause notice in the ref 2<sup>nd</sup> read above and directed him to submit his written statement of defence within 15 days from the date of receipt of the Show cause notice. The Charged Officer has acknowledged receipt of Government Memo on 17.11.2011, but he did not submit his further explanation.

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3. The Government after careful examination of the material on record, decided to impose a 10% (ten percent) cut in pension permanently against Sri Ch.Ramakoteswara Rao, Executive Officer (Retired), Sri Amareswara Swamy Temple, Amaravathi, (Village & Mandal), Guntur District.

4. In the letter 6<sup>th</sup> read above, the Government referred the matter to Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission for concurrence as required under Rule 9 (2) of Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980. In the letter 7<sup>th</sup> read above, the Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission has given its concurrence to the proposal of the Government to impose the punishment of 10% (ten percent) cut in pension permanently against Sri Ch.Ramakoteswara Rao, Executive Officer (Retired), Sri Amareswara Swamy Temple, Amaravathi, (Village & Mandal), Guntur District.

5. Accordingly, the Government in exercise of the powers conferred under Rule 9 of Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980 hereby impose the punishment of 10% (ten percent) cut in pension permanently against Sri Ch.Ramakoteswara Rao, Executive Officer (Retired), Sri Amareswara Swamy Temple, Amaravathi, (Village & Mandal), Guntur District. A copy of the concurrence of Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission communicated in the reference 7<sup>th</sup> read above is herewith enclosed.

6. The Commissioner, Endowments Department, Hyderabad shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

CHITRA RAMCHANDRAN  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To  
Sri Ch.Ramakoteswara Rao, Executive Officer (Retired),  
Sri Amareswara Swamy Temple,  
Amaravathi, (Village & Mandal), Guntur District

**through**, the Commissioner, Endowments Department, A.P., Hyderabad.  
The Commissioner, Endowments Department, A.P., Hyderabad. (**w.e**) (**with a request to serve the copy to the individual and send the served copy to Government**).

Copy to:

The Secretary, A.P Public Service Commission,  
Hyderabad for information.

The O.S.D to Minister (Endowments).

The P.S to Principal Secretary to Endowments.

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SECTION OFFICER